The Barber Papers

NICARAGUA

INITIATING AUTHORITY:

NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT

Date Range of Correspondence: 11/17/1905 - 11/18/1905

Number of Documents: 2

Art Work: None

Significance: Apparently, negotiations broke down because of cost

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

WASHINGTON November 18, 1905.

Mr. Charles Barber,

Engraver, U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

I enclose herewith a copy of a telegram received from the Superintendent of the U. S. Mint at San Francisco, Cal., inquiring the cost of making hub dies for contemplated coinage for Nicaragua.

I will thank you to telegraph me on receipt hereof, what would be the cost of making hub dies and also working dies from the same.

Respectfully,

Geo. E. Roberts

Director of the Mint.

Enclosure.

Copy.

TELEGRAM.

San Francisco, Cal.,

Nov. 17, 1905.

Director Mint,

Washington, D. C.

Wire cost making hub dies for Nicaragua peso fifty centavo, twenty centavo ten centavo also price per pair for working dies from same parties estimating coinage for said government.

Frank A. Leach,

Supt.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF THE MINT.
OFFICIAL BUSINESS.
RETURN AFTER FIVE DAYS.

WASHINGTON, D.C.
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1905

Mr. Charles Barber, Engraver
Coin

The Superintendent of the United States Mint,

PHILADELPHIA,

PENNSYLVANIA.

Hubs and master dies for
the four coins sixteen
hundred dollars.

Working dies per pair.

Peso twenty-five dollars

Fifty Centavos twenty dollars

Twenty and ten Centavos
ten dollars.

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